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Patent Application of

Martin Weston, et al.

Application No. 09/700,321

Confirmation No.: 4846

Filed: January 16, 2001

Examiner: Trang U. Tran

"VIDEO SIGNAL PROCESSING"

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Interview Summary in the above-identified application.

No additional fee is required.

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INTERVIEW SUMMARY

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On December 19, 2005, Applicant conducted an interview with the Office regarding the above-identified application. The interview was conducted by telephone. The following individuals were present during the telephone conference.

Representing the Office: Examiner Trang U. Tran

Representing the Applicant: Attorney of Record Derek C. Stettner

Applicant initiated the interview to discuss the Office action dated September 21, 2005. During the interview the Applicant expressed its opinion regarding what it believes to be an error in applying U.S. Patent No. 6,335,990 issued to Chen et al ("Chen"). In summary, Applicant expressed its opinion that Chen does not disclose the claimed multiplying of signals and asked the Examiner to reconsider the rejection in light of what Applicant believes to be clear error. The Examiner maintained that the rejection was proper. Thus, no agreement was reached. Applicant indicated it would likely file an appeal or similar submission.

Entry of this Interview Summary is respectfully requested. The undersigned is available for telephone consultation during normal business hours.

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